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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION TRANSMITTAL

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Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the 25 above-identified application. A submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 that consists of amended claims, an information disclosure statement and arguments responding to the outstanding rejections in the previous final office action accompanies this request. Applicants request entry of the amendments to the claims and consideration of the accompanying arguments responding to the outstanding rejections.

Please charge to Deposit Account No. 501536 the \$385.00 RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and the \$475.00 fee for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17(a)(3) to September 5, 2004. Please charge any additional fee due or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 501536**. Applicants hereby claim small entity status.

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